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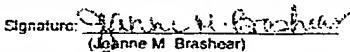
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 Kuang Hsi-Wu et al.

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For: REINFORCED FOAM COVERING FOR  
 CRYOGENIC FUEL TANKS

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment  
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## INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated January 24, 2006, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.